

Westfield Police Department



Town Council Report

August

(8/1/07 – 8/30/07)

August Community Policing Events

During the month of August, the Westfield Police Department continued activities directed toward its Community Policing Program by participating in the following community events:

- August 2nd The WPD participated for the first time in “National Night Out.” National Night Out was started in 1984 by the National Association of Town Watch (NATW). It was designed to heighten awareness and strengthen participation in local anticrime efforts. Traditionally neighbors are asked to turn there front porch lights on and come outside with their neighbors and have block parties, cookouts, parades, safety fairs, meetings and visit with police officers.

According to the NATW there were 57 other communities in Indiana participating in NNO. This year Village Farms, Coverdale, and Springdale Farms participated. We are hoping to enlist the participation of even more Westfield neighborhoods each year to strengthen police-community relations.



- August 11th Officer Gilreath participated in Sandpiper Lakes annual meeting to discuss Neighborhood Crime Watch.
- August 18th Officer Gilreath participated in Mulberry Farms annual meeting.
- August 27th Officers Hood and Hollowell participated in Oak Trace Elementary Community Information Night to answer parents’ questions about the Police Department.
- August 30th Officers Hood and Hollowell manned the Town’s booth during the Home-a-Rama.

September - National Preparedness Month

The U.S. Department of Homeland Security has designated September as National Preparedness Month and is sponsoring this important Program for the fourth consecutive year in order to encourage Americans to prepare for natural or man-made emergencies in their homes, businesses and communities. National Preparedness Month is a nationwide effort to encourage Americans to take simple steps to prepare for emergencies in their homes, businesses and schools. Throughout September, the U.S. Department of Homeland Security will work with a wide variety of organizations to highlight the importance of emergency preparedness and promote individual involvement through events and activities across the nation. The Westfield Police Department is proud to be a participating partner in this effort and will supply an informative Emergency Preparedness Guide to interested businesses and organizations. The Guide is a useful repository of tips and suggestions for actions which increase the likelihood of surviving severe storms, tornadoes, floods, earthquakes or terrorist activities.

Police Radio Communications Project

The Westfield Police Department has taken a leadership role among local law enforcement agencies by being the first police department within Hamilton County to join the state's SAFE-T interoperable radio system. The Integrated Public Safety Commission of Indiana, which operates the state-wide communications system, has approved 10 exclusive talkgroups (channels) for Westfield, and granted access to numerous regional and statewide talkgroups. Upon completion, this project will give WPD officers car-to-car communications capability with state troopers and other law enforcement officers in neighboring counties. This project also meets the "interoperability" requirements of the Department of Homeland Security for continued eligibility for federal grant funding applications.

Obtaining access to the system was the first step in this project. In the coming weeks, WPD will establish agreements with Noblesville PD, Boone County agencies and other neighboring agencies who are currently on the system or have plans to join. Following that, our radios will be reprogrammed to include all SAFE-T talkgroups on which we are authorized to communicate.

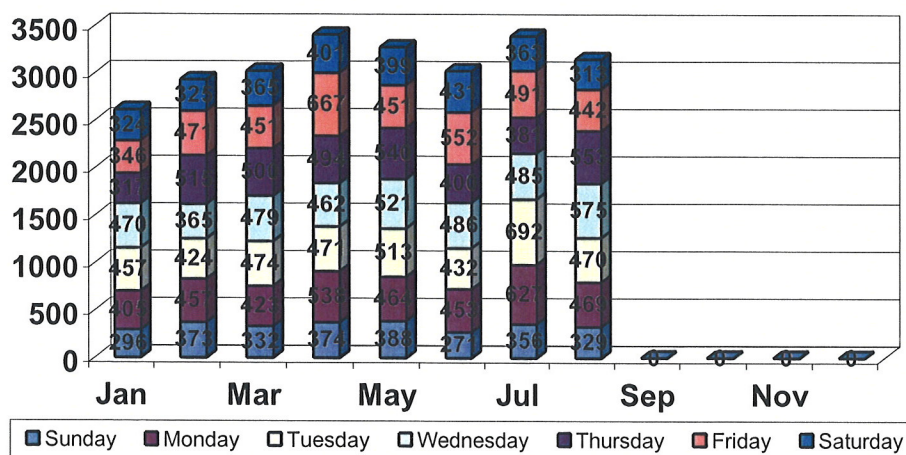
The SAFE-T radio infrastructure is operated by the State of Indiana with no user fees for participating agencies.

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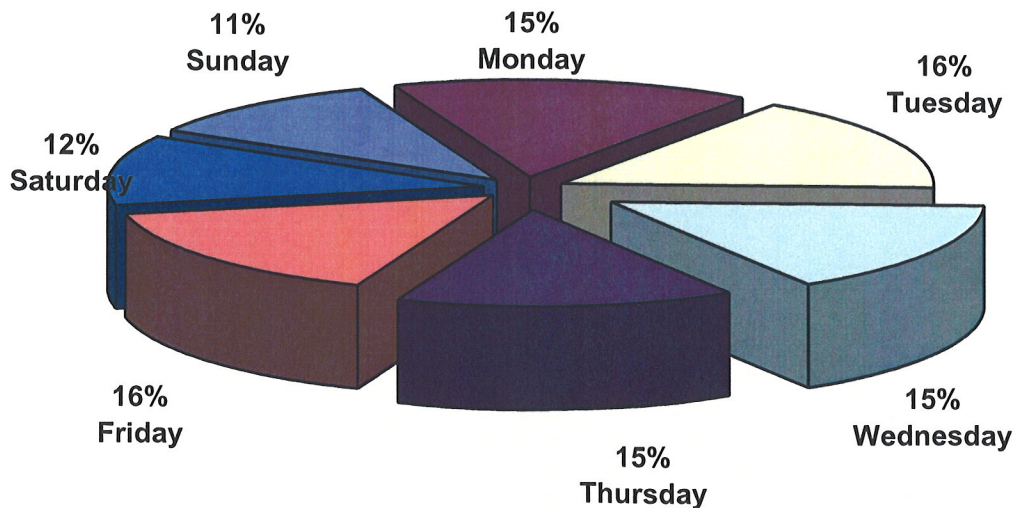
2007 - Calls for Service by Day of Week

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
Sunday	296	373	332	374	388	271	356	329					2719
Monday	405	457	423	538	464	453	627	469					3836
Tuesday	457	424	474	471	513	432	692	470					3933
Wednesday	470	365	479	462	521	486	485	575					3843
Thursday	317	515	500	494	540	400	381	553					3700
Friday	346	471	451	667	451	552	491	442					3871
Saturday	324	325	365	401	399	431	363	313					2921
Total:	2615	2930	3024	3407	3276	3025	3395	3151	0		0		24823

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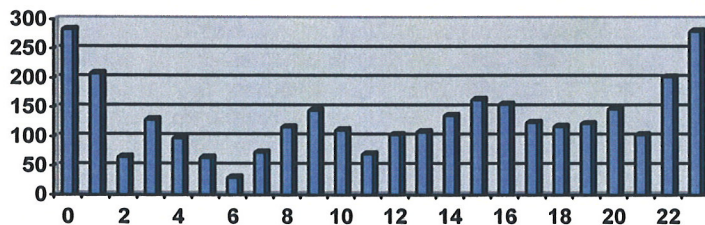


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2007 - Calls for Service by Hour of Day

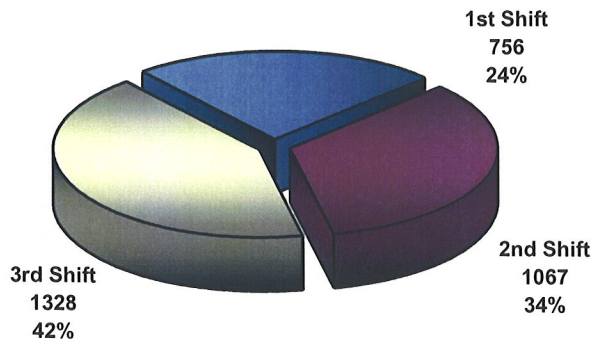
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
12A	299	246	260	256	277	203	209	283					2033
1A	174	209	163	256	173	242	188	208					1613
2A	35	56	49	58	45	68	67	65					443
3A	145	131	107	125	129	103	105	129					974
4A	143	94	103	161	120	103	93	97					914
5A	59	55	36	59	59	94	71	64					497
6A	19	7	36	46	40	20	39	30					237
7A	80	74	97	109	104	85	90	73					712
8A	146	101	143	181	179	117	153	116					1136
9A	115	131	160	170	138	152	156	145					1167
10A	130	155	178	167	124	133	160	111					1158
11A	71	69	75	88	75	80	62	70					590
12P	84	92	117	176	122	130	116	103					940
1P	70	95	109	123	130	113	122	108					870
2P	106	106	106	121	134	116	154	136					979
3P	129	114	130	151	195	131	198	163					1211
4P	75	106	114	115	121	96	151	155					933
5P	95	86	109	99	144	104	144	124					905
6P	99	104	113	128	160	130	164	117					1015
7P	79	98	104	125	149	107	165	122					949
8P	101	104	112	128	110	146	180	147					1028
9P	91	82	99	118	119	130	147	103					889
10P	80	285	204	179	241	170	214	202					1575
11P	190	330	300	268	188	252	247	280					2055
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Calls For Service by Hour of Day
Agency: WPD Date: 08/01/2007 - 08/30/2007



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August 2007 - Calls for Service by Shift



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1st Shift	756
2nd Shift	1067
3rd Shift	1328
TOTAL	3151

* Reports stats only for 30 days

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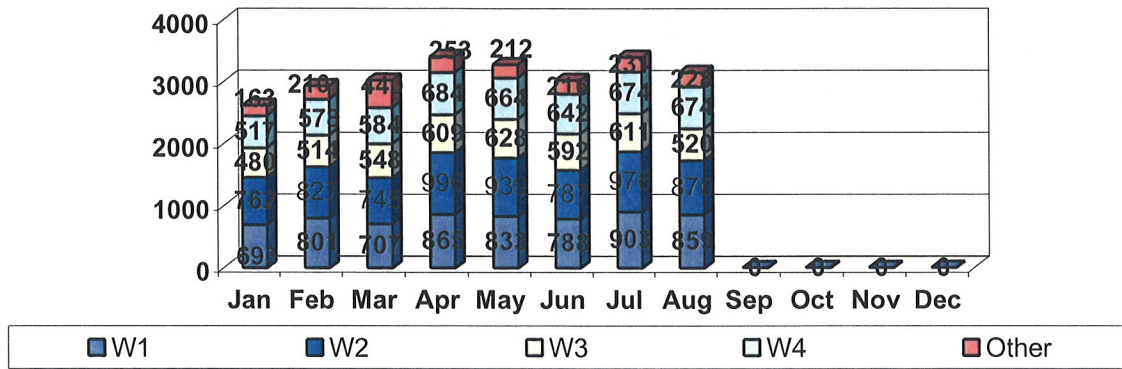
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2007 - Calls for Service by Area

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
W1	693	801	707	865	833	788	903	859					6449
W2	762	827	745	996	939	787	976	870					6902
W3	480	514	548	609	628	592	611	520					4502
W4	517	578	584	684	664	642	674	674					5017
Other	163	210	440	253	212	216	231	228					1953
Total	2615	2930	3024	3407	3276	3025	3395	3151					24823
Y2006	2519	2455	2230	1741	1916	2001	2790	3455	2664	2633	2774	2617	29795
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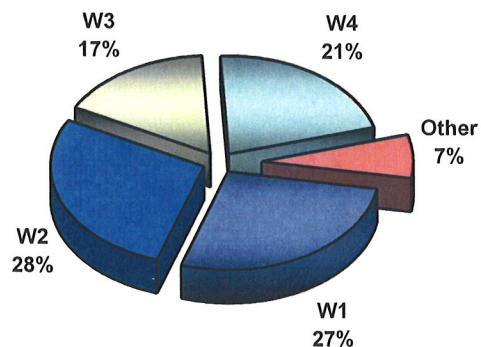
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Year-to-Date Comparison - Total Calls for Service

